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## **AMENDMENT**

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed on January 25, 2007 having a shortened three-month period for response which expired on April 25, 2007.

Applicants herein petition for a one-month extension of time. Authorization to charge Applicants' deposit account can be found in the attached transmittal letter.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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